

<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES</b>		Docket Number (Optional) <b>POM-12502/29</b>
In re Application of Jyoti Mazumder et al.		
Application Number 09/916,566-Conf. #1977		Filed July 27, 2001
For DIRECT METAL DEPOSITION APPARATUS UTILIZING RAPID RESPONSE DIODE LASER SOURCE		
Art Unit 3992		Examiner Z. E. Cabrera

Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 41.20(b)(1)) \$ 540.00

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 270.00

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☒ A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.

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I am the

☐ applicant /inventor.

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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